Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 18 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 19 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 18 Jun 2022 at 02:26 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a continuation of changeable weather into early next week, but low for extent of low cloud cover.

Headline for Saturday 18 Jun 2022: Cold and very windy, mainly dry.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 18 Jun 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	<05%	10%	20%	30%

Forecast for Saturday 18 Jun 2022

Weather: Most of the day will be dry with sunny intervals. Clouding over from the northwest from late afternoon and evening, perhaps a light shower over the Perthshire hills by evening. Very windy with gales or severe gales at height.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%. Chances expected to decreased to 50% into the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good with good air clarity, but some cloud down to 800 metres developing across the Cairngorms and Perthshire from late afternoon and elsewhere by evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	37/44 SW	35/45 W	37/47 W	38/49 W	37/48 W	38/47 W	34/44 W
900	30/37 SW	29/38 W	29/40 W	31/42 W	31/42 W	28/38 W	26/35 W
600	23/36 W	22/36 W	24/40 W	24/40 W	23/39 W	21/35 W	19/32 W
300	13/27 W	17/34 W	18/36 W	19/37 W	16/33 W	12/26 W	12/26 W
Glen	14/27 SW	16/30 W	19/36 W	18/36 W	17/32 W	13/27 W	10/23 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	1/-7	2/-5	4/-3	4/-3	3/-4	3/-5	3/-4
900	4/-3	5/-1	6/0	6/0	6/-1	5/-1	5/-1
600	7/2	8/4	10/6	10/6	8/4	7/2	7/3
300	10/7	11/8	13/10	13/10	12/8	10/7	10/7
Glen	10/8	12/9	14/11	15/11	13/10	11/8	11/9
Freezing Level*	1200m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1500m	1600m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for gusty weather at height with widespread upland gales, winds will reach 60 mph on the highest tops. Note low temperatures at height so significant wind chill expected in the wind.

Forecast for Sunday 19 Jun 2022

Weather: A rather cloudy start with a light shower possible across the southern Cairngorms. Otherwise a dry day expected with variable cloud cover and sunny periods. Cold northwesterly winds at height.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly gusting to 30 mph on the summits

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%, best chance in the south

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good with good air clarity outside of cloud. Areas of cloud down to 800 metres at times across the southern Cairngorms

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 rising to 17 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 4 rising to 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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